

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF)
Richard Alan Tuck et al.) Examiner: Joseph L. Williams
SERIAL NO.: 09/530,023) Group Art Unit: 2879
FILED: April 21, 2000) Customer number: 23644
FOR: Field Emission Devices)) I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, A. 22313-1450," on March 19, 2004. Name of person sening

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF OCTOBER 3, 2903

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the examiner's office action of October 3, 2003, it is requested that the application be amended as follows:

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